## FREDON TOWNSHIP RESOLUTION 2020-34

## RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF FREDON APPROVING A COOPERATIVE PLAN WITH THE TOWNSHIPS OF STILLWATER AND HAMPTON FOR EACH MUNICIPALITY'S REGISTRAR TO BE DEPUTIZED TO ACT ON BEHALF OF THE PARTICIPATING MUNICIPALITIES

WHEREAS, due to the ongoing issues with the COVID-19 pandemic, the New Jersey State Department of Health requested that each municipality have a cooperative arrangement with another municipality or municipalities in order to deputize such other municipality's registrar to act on behalf of a municipality during an emergency; and

WHEREAS, the Townships of Stillwater, Fredon and Hampton have decided to deputize their registrars to act on each other's behalf in the event that a participating municipality's registrar or deputy registrar is unable to act during an emergency; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Committee of the Township of Fredon hereby agree to a cooperative arrangement between the Townships of Stillwater, Fredon and Hampton in order that each municipality's registrar is deputized to act on behalf of each of the participating municipalities during an emergency in which one of the participating municipality's registrars or deputy registrar, if applicable, is unable to act.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Office of the State Registrar of the New Jersey Department of Health may update its databases and platforms granting the Townships of Stillwater, Fredon and Hampton's registrars access to the records for each of their municipalities as needed.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately, however, it shall be void and of no effect in the event that the Hampton Township and/or Stillwater Township governing bodies fail or refuse to adopt a reciprocal resolution.

## CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Township Committee at their regular meeting held March 26, 2020, at the Fredon Township Municipal Building, 443 Route 94, Fredon Township, Sussex County, New Jersey.

Debra Prommel

Acting Municipal Clerk